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Memorandum

Date:

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To:

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From:

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Subject:

Request for Presentation before Water Quality Technical Group

This is a follow up to the informal request faxed to you on February 24, 1998.

We would appreciate a presentation to the CALFED Water Quality Program Water Quality Technical Group on February 25, 1998 on "Trihalomethanes in Drinking Water and Spontaneous Abortion" and "A Prospective Study of Spontaneous Abortion: Relation to Amount and Source of Drinking Water Consumed in Early Pregnancy".

Attached is a copy of the Water Quality Technical Group Meeting Notice and the Agenda where the time and place are noted. We are very interested in the protocols of the studies, the cause and effect associations, validation approaches and any other information you believe were critical to the findings. Our Water Quality Program keeps abreast of current research findings such as these to determine potential actions to help mitigate impacts to beneficial uses.

We are looking forward to your presentation. Please let me know if you need special equipment for this presentation. There will be an overhead projector and a screen at the meeting. Also, let me know if the time allotted for the presentation is adequate. If you have any questions or comments, you may reach me at (916) 653-2994. Thank you for your consideration.

Attachments

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